RESOLUTION NO. 134 - 2002

CONVEYING congratulations to Candace Elizabeth Smith upon her selection as Miss Ohio USA 2003.

WHEREAS, Candace Elizabeth Smith was crowned Miss Ohio USA 2003 on November 23, 2002, in Portsmouth, Ohio, at the same time being named winner of the Photogenic Award; and

WHEREAS, Candace Elizabeth Smith will represent Ohio in the Miss USA pageant in March 2003; and

WHEREAS, Candace Elizabeth Smith attended Northwestern University School of Law on a merit scholarship, graduated in May of 2002, recently passed the Ohio Bar Exam, and was sworn in as a practicing attorney on November 17, 2002; and

WHEREAS, Candace Elizabeth Smith attended the University of Dayton as an undergraduate and while there interned in various departments of the City of Dayton including the Law Department, the City Manager's Office, the Police Department and the Prosecutor's Office, where she worked as a victim witness advocate and also created a crime prevention apprenticeship program; and

WHEREAS, Candace Elizabeth Smith is a volunteer at Artemus House, a domestic abuse assistance center, where she is a member of the fund-raising and special events committees; now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cincinnati, State of Ohio:

Section 1. That congratulations are extended to Candace Elizabeth Smith on her selection as Miss USA Ohio 2003, with best wishes for continued success at the Miss USA pageant.

Section 2. That a copy of this resolution be spread upon the minutes of Council and a cop presented to Candace Elizabeth Smith.

Passed	, 2002		
	-	Mayor	
Attest			

Submitted by Councilmember Paul M. Booth